



Spanish

Wider Reading

- *The House of Spirits* by Isabel Allende/*La casa de los espíritus* (A level book)
- *One Hundred Years of Solitude/Cien años de soledad* by Gabriel Garcia Marquez
- *The Feast of the Goat/La fiesta del Chivo* by Mario Vargas Llosa
- *Winter in Madrid /Invierno en Madrid* by C.J. Sansom
- *The city of Marvels/La ciudad de las maravillas* by Eduardo Mendoza
- *Violencia* by Jason Webster
- *El tiempo entre costuras* de María Dueñas
- *The Soldiers of Salamina/Los Soldados de Salamina* by Javier Cercas
- *Como agua para el chocolate* de Laura Esquivel
- *Homeland/Patria* by Fernando Aramburu

Enrichment Activities

If you are feeling particularly adventurous, you could have a browse through the following newspaper and magazine websites:

- Muy Interesante <http://www.muyinteresante.es/>
- El Mundo <https://www.elmundo.es/>
- Artishock <http://artishockrevista.com/>
- Gadgets <http://www.revistagadgets.com/>
- National Geographic <http://www.ngenespanol.com/>
- Tú <http://www.tuenlinea.com/>

Watch one or more of the following films and write a short review of an aspect of the film that you like, such as the acting, the special effects, the soundtrack or the storyline.

Most are available to stream on Netflix or to buy on Amazon (link included), however, please do not feel obliged to buy these films as they are only suggestions for enrichment and not compulsory parts of the curriculum.

- El Laberinto del Fauno
 - https://www.amazon.co.uk/Pans-Labyrinth-DVD-Ivana-Baquero/dp/B000PY527C/ref=sr_1_1?s=dvd&ie=UTF8&qid=1467368336&sr=1-1&keywords=el+laberinto+del+fauno
- Maria llena de gracia
 - https://www.amazon.co.uk/Maria-Grace-Catalina-Sandino-Moreno/dp/B0009YVD1C/ref=sr_1_2?s=dvd&ie=UTF8&qid=1467368301&sr=1-2&keywords=maria+llena+de+gracia
- Como agua para Chocolate
 - https://www.amazon.co.uk/Like-Water-Chocolate-Lumi-Cavazos/dp/B0009F68D4/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1467298192&sr=8-1&keywords=como+agua+para+chocolate+film
- Ocho Apellidos Vascos
 - https://www.amazon.co.uk/Apellidos-Vascos-Spanish-Affair-Region/dp/B00JF5YMC8/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1467297925&sr=8-1&keywords=Ocho+Apellidos+Vascos
- The Orphanage
 - https://www.amazon.co.uk/Orphanage-DVD-Belen-Rueda/dp/B001KWHOB0/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1467298099&sr=8-1&keywords=el+orfanato
- La lengua de la Mariposa
 - https://www.amazon.co.uk/Lengua-Mariposas-Manuel-Lozano-Fernando/dp/B0017HCO1I/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1467298259&sr=8-1&keywords=la+lengua+de+la+mariposa
- Roma, Directed by Alfonso Cuarón
- Campeones
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o9RwtFalrbE>

Spanish language websites and Apps

These are not specific to GCSE or A-level, but they are helpful for improving your general Spanish.

- <https://lyricstraining.com/es> - Spanish video clips with gap fill activities
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/spanish/mividaloca/> - an interactive video drama the level is quite basic but you can learn some useful Spanish for travelling
- <https://www.fluentu.com/spanish> - it takes real-world videos like music videos, commercials, news, and inspiring talks and turns them into language learning experiences.
- <https://www.duolingo.com/> - Units are split into themes and progress in difficulty
- <https://radiolingua.com/coffeebreakspanish/> - a variety of resources including podcast episodes to listen to.
- <https://letsspeakspanish.com/learn-spanish-apps/> - a blog post which compares learning Apps so you can choose the one that best suits you.